

rain and sunshine will make the old world
good as new and all the fresher and greener

Hope of mischief springs eternal in the Democratic breast.

President Garfield's provoking glowiness in his appointments has shaken the confidence of a number of aspiring patriots in his strength of arm.

"Attack the banks and make mischief general" is the substance of the future policy of the Executive as defined by Mr. Cox. Perhaps that will young men into the party ranks, but it looks like a scare-crowd to be hanged.

If the race has been brought down, he should

taken to Barnum for identification.

be with the awful dignity of the Senate. He asked recently how he liked his new position: said: "Oh, if to-day is a fair specimen of Senate life, it is going to be very stupid for me for two hours a half a dozen of them kept just up, jabbering away at one another, and for the most of me I could not understand what they were saying at. (The question was on a point of order.) I followed with a bellowing sort of voice and said, 'The Senate has the honor of the honor' and over and over again, repeating himself at least twenty times. It was really more than a gathering of women at a church meeting."

President Garfield's views on the Mormon question are emphatic and unequivocal. He is reported to have said within a day or two to a Senator: "Polygamy must end—shall be stamped out. I will plague you on our institutions must be banished. I will ask you, as my friend, to take your stand in the Senate and fight this evil until it is crushed into existence. We must not give up, save from the hands of our children born in Utah of the many the same. I feel bound to do this by the two of my predecessors (Buchanan and Fillmore).

ment of Brigham Young, the head of the Mormon Government of the Territory." If the President

Voorhees proposes to let himself loose upon the national banks. The damage will not be serious to the banks or to Voorhees. The public is familiar with Voorhees's financial views, and knows that as innocent of harm as they are of sound intention.

More trouble is in store for Ben Hill. Senate

bone says he is accumulating valuable information about the Georgia Senator's record, and that

When the rascal who forged the Morey letter was exposed and his punishment decreed, perhaps the *World* newspaper will step forward like a little and confess that President Garfield knows its spell.

As a political party the Democracy has pronounced a complete failure, and demonstrated that it has taken its vocation. If its leaders are wise they will turn its energies into new channels. It has a number of members of superb base ball clubs.

troupes, negro minstrel companies, variety and kindred popular institutions. Let Mr. B

be spoken to with a view of turning it into the greatest show on earth" in time for the opening of the tenting season of 1881. The work of the management would not be great. What do you say, Barnum?

PERSONAL

Senator Anthony is ill in Washington with a

Ex-Vice-President Wheeler will return to his home at Maloué next week, and the citizens propose to give him a public reception.

The Hon. L. P. Morton's house in Washington has been leased by Senator Hale. Attorney-General MacVeagh has taken a house on Rhode Island.

Mr. Alma Tadema gave a brilliant little reception ball a short time ago at which Mr. Julian

thorne was one of the most conspicuous figures
appeared as Lord Beaconsfield in an admiral

Victor Hugo caught cold a few weeks ago, a physician said the occasion to examine his physically. The use of medicine was surprised and he said, "I found," he said, "the frame of a forty-five years."

The Austrian Empress is said never to resist inquiries of reporters provided they confine queries to her outdoor pursuits. She was so busy with the notes concerning her hunting exploit that she forgot to tell them that she sent him informing—Colonel Thomas A. Scott, since his recent return from South, has endowed with \$50,000 the Chair of Mathematics in the University of Padua; has given \$50,000 to Jefferson Medical College, \$30,000 to the Orthopedic Hospital, \$20,000 to the Children's Department of the Hospital.

Madame Tarnowski is a Russian lady who has been unanimously elected an active member of society of physicians in charge of the lunatics of her native country. She received five years ago the diploma of M. D. at the St. Petersburg University, and since entering actively upon profession she has shown so much skill, sagacity, thought and success in her treatment of the insane that she has earned a wide reputation among specialists.

GENERAL NOTES.

The venerable *Commercial Advertiser*, an enterprise and vivacity with age, and more than two centuries of successful experience, has, in the publication of the paper, indeed, the *Commercial* has been compelled by pressure both of advertisements as well as of subscribers, to enlarge, and it will begin to issue its sheet next Monday with the aid of a type web press, the only one in existence, furnished by B. & Co. This press will print 25,000 copies of the paper in a day, and the other department of the paper will be kept up to the standard.

Kansas papers take a most enthusiastic interest in the prospect of a great increase of the prospective harvest of 1881. The acreage shown last fall for the State was 1,000,000 acres of that grain, and the weather throughout the season has been such as to favor rapid growth and yield. The sheep interest, too, which is an im-

one, is in a prosperous condition. Kauska claims more sheep, in proportion to her population, than any other country in the world.

A refreshing story for the dog-day heat could be kept fresh until then, is related by a tradesman, Dow, by name, who was in Minnesota a recent "cold snap," being now in the village the only quarters he has found for the night. The fully furnished rooms, the window, stove, two broken paws in the mind a story, accepted the situation, and, coiled to marrow, went to bed and fell asleep. The next morning, when the dog was called, he was conscious of one being carried down stairs couldn't speak or move a muscle, nor even raise

the thermometer had fallen to 40° below zero, Dow had actually frozen stiff before the other oc-

Fortunately, a vigorous course of treatment restored him to action, and he is slowly but steadily covering.

A muscular priest of the church in Cambridge, Mass., has organized a crusade with its own campaign clubs. According to *The Boston Herald*, the Rev. Thomas Scully, of St. Mary's Catholic Church, recently made an attempt by word and exhortation to break up a young men's society of not the sweetest savor. His efforts were ineffectual, and all the members of the club refused to leave. Robert Woodburn, agreed to leave the club-room

quietly come. Thereupon Father Scully blessed them with a blessing, and ordered Woodburn to

but he would not. The priest scolded for his disobedience, discovering a boy hiding, tarried to chastise him. The boy's mother, when the priest's anger was at its height, broke in and begged for her son. The priest, who was a good man, was so moved that he let the boy go. The mother, however, was not satisfied. She burned incense, and was struck with a case of cholera. She died. He crappled with the priest, threw him out of the house, and hurried down stairs. He was struck back with a spittoon, and a couple of Indian children were thrown after him. Father Scully then departed soon returned, accompanied by his assistant, Father Mundy, both armed with stout cut-throat razors. The priest, however, was not so easily deterred. He returned to the room, and in the meantime, he looked out of the window and saw a man and a woman, who

The young men were discussing the matter, when a rap was heard. The door was not opened. So the young men were frightened and jumped to their feet, ready to fight.

of Father Mundy, who had his stick ready for the